

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

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Please replace paragraph [03] with the following amended paragraph:

[03] Personal data assistants (PDAs), in contrast, provide quick access to calendars and other information. The quick access to information is also a detriment of PDAs in that a user is left with no secure way of authenticating himself to the PDA. Because of the less secure nature of PDAs, users are reluctant to keep sensitive or personal documents on PDAs but instead keep them on the portable computers. Further, the meeting information is only as relevant as last ~~synced~~synchronized with the user's primary machine. Thus, computer users show up to meetings with both a portable computer and a PDA.